

Project Homeless Connect 2 Memphis July 12, 2012

An element of the Mayors' Action Plan to End Homelessness

Organized by the Community Alliance for the Homeless

Sponsored by the City of Memphis, FedEx, the United Way of the Mid South and many more

Where: Cook Convention Center When: July 12, 2012 Volunteers: 8-4 Individuals seeking services: 9-3

What: A massive one-day event targeting unsheltered homeless individuals in Memphis and Shelby County through which all the resources and services needed to leave homelessness are provided under one roof. Community volunteers pair up one-on-one with homeless individuals beginning with street engagement and ending with accessing a wide array of resources at the Cook Convention Center. Dozens of agencies and service providers join together to break down barriers that make it difficult for individuals to leave homelessness. An inspiring and meaningful project that puts the Mayors' Action Plan to End Homelessness to work!

Services Anticipated:

Medical and Dental (limited) Social Security

Employment Veterans benefits and services

Housing Counseling HIV/AIDS Testing, Counseling, and Support

Food IDs

Barber Shop Legal assistance
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Donated Goods

Donations Needed:

1,000 pairs of socks
New clothes and shoes
Hygiene items (toothbrushes, hand sanitizer)
Backpacks
Reading glasses
Non-perishable snacks

You must be at least 18 years old to volunteer.

Register online:

<u>www.communityallianceforthehomeless.com</u> 901-527-1302